

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace the section heading at page 2, line 12 with the following replacement heading:

**--Disclosure Summary of the Invention--**

Please replace the section heading at page 5, line 10 with the following replacement heading:

**--Best Mode for Carrying out Detailed Description of the Invention--**

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 9, line 19 with the following rewritten paragraph:

-- That is, the health bedding 1 of the first embodiment utilizes natural cotton, which is manufactured by solving chitosan into a solvent to prepare a chitosan solution, treating the chitosan solution on natural fibers such as wool or cotton fibers to obtain chitosan-treated natural fibers, and then carding the chitosan- treated natural fibers. The chitosan- treated natural fibers and a manufacturing method thereof are disclosed in detail in Korean ~~Laid-Open~~ Patent Application No. 2001-84171, filed on December 24, 2001. For reference, a chitosan-containing spun yarn and a manufacturing method thereof are also specifically disclosed in Korean ~~Laid-Open~~ Patent Application No. 2001-84172, filed on December 24, 2001 by the applicant of the present invention.--

Please delete the section heading at page 24, line 14.